

Business Licenses Cont.

- Robert W. Felton (Court Interpreting) (575) 491-6675
- Sheer Pandemonium (Cosmetology) (575) 921-7202
- The Sacred Desert (Natural Self-Care Products) (575) 491-6627
- Three G's Painters (Contractor-Painter) (575) 214-0810
- Tiffanie Owen Art LLC (Painting Classes/Fine Art Sales) (575) 921-2209
- Twisted Scissor (Cosmetology) (575) 495-8062
- Walmart Market #5726 (Retail Sales) (479) 204-8820

Alamogordo Senior Center



Start your Independence Day celebration early!

Hot dog and hamburger dinner on Friday, July 1st,

from 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm. Dinner will include one hot dog, one hamburger, baked beans, chips, cookie and soda.

EAT IN OR TAKE OUT!

Dinner tickets are only \$7.00 and are on sale now at the Alamo Senior Center, located at 2201 Puerto Rico Avenue. Proceeds help support Senior Center programs.

For more information, contact the Alamo Senior Center at 439-4150.



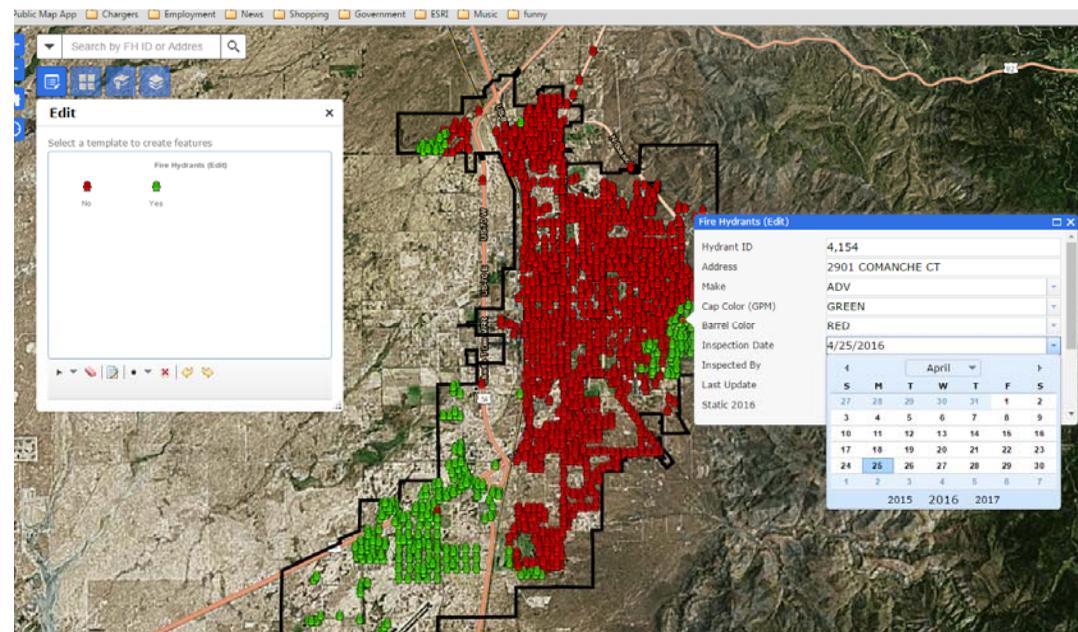
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City GIS System—written by Tony Pistilli GIS/Land Management Coordinator

The City of Alamogordo GIS (Geographic Information System) department made the decision to utilize ArcGIS Online a few years ago deeming the platform as the most cost-effective solution to serving the public and city departments' GIS maps and data. One of the latest projects we have launched is the Fire Hydrant Inspection Web Map. This web-based solution allows those inspecting the fire hydrants to edit attribute information in the field with the use of a smart phone or tablet. This process has typically been accomplished using paper forms, which were later compiled and entered into a spreadsheet at the office creating duplicate work. One of the benefits of the online mapping solution is the data is collected or edited while in the field with pull down menus for data entry, making the process much faster and more consistent. Another benefit is as soon as the inspection is completed in the field, the color of the hydrant turns from red to green showing that the hydrant inspection has been completed for that particular hydrant. Supervisors can see the progress of the inspections in real-time. This ability to visualize the inspection progress makes it very easy to tell if hydrants have been missed. If the inspectors come across a hydrant that is not on the map, they have the ability to add the hydrant themselves. This keeps the integrity of the GIS data layer and the tabular data intact. When it comes time for the Fire Department to submit their annual ISO report, the GIS layer can be easily converted to an Excel spreadsheet as needed. This is just one of many possible solutions utilizing GIS technology to enhance and simplify workflows for any department within the city.

Testimonial from Norman Bloom, Lt. Alamogordo Fire Dept:

"The advantage of the color system also identifies at a glance what hydrants have been missed during annual inspections for easy follow up and accurate documentation. With this new system, we can run a specific query to identify information that was too cumbersome under the old system. Total number and location of out of service hydrants and gallon per minute (GPM) capacities for specific areas are two examples that can impact fire department response. Once all the base line data is entered, next year's testing will be even smoother!"



Alamogordo Public Library

Please join the Alamogordo Public Library Writers Group on Tuesday July 5 to discuss your work in progress. Join your fellow writers for constructive criticism and helpful discussions about writing. The group meets the first Tuesday of every month at 6:00 PM in the Eugene Manlove Rhodes room at the Alamogordo Public Library.



Calling all Poets! Come and share your poetry or favorite poet with the Alamogordo Poetry Society at the Alamogordo Public Library. Our next Open Mic is Thursday, July 7th at 6:00 PM in the Eugene Manlove Rhodes room at the Library. You can read poetry or just listen to the talented and creative members of our community.

Please call [\(575\) 439-4148](tel:5754394148) for more information.

Recreation Center



The Alamogordo Family Recreation Center, located at 1100 Oregon Avenue, is offering dodge ball to interested players two nights a week beginning June 13, 2016. The Recreation Center gym will be open for practice on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00—7:00 p.m.

The goal is to get enough teams participating to start a Dodge Ball League. For volunteer opportunities to organize a league or for those with experience in dodge ball, please contact Kerry or Shannon at the Recreation Center at 439-4142. Until a league is formed, players will pay the regular gym entrance fee of \$2.25.

Leadership

City Commission / City Manager

Richard Boss, Mayor at Large (575-214-0024)

Jason Baldwin, District 1 (575-921-1093)

Nadia Sikes, District 2 (575-491-7910)

Susan Payne, District 3 (575-491-0211)

Jenny Turnbull, District 4 (575-434-5544)

Al Hernandez, Mayor Pro-Tem/District 5
(575-921-3632)

Erica Martin, District 6 (575-430-4262)

Margaret Paluch, Acting City Manager
(575-439-4203)

Commission Meetings

Commission Meetings will be held the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at **6:30 p.m.** in the Commission Chambers at City Hall. Upcoming meeting dates are June 28, 2016 and July 12, 2016. For full meeting schedule and deadline dates visit our website at <http://ci.alamogordo.nm.us>.

Boards and Committees

- Airport Zoning Board
- Disability Council
- Promotion Board (Tourism Related)
- Community Development
- Housing Authority Advisory Board
- Mayor's Committee on Aging
- Public Library Board
- Senior Volunteer Programs Council

If you are interested in serving on any City of Alamogordo Board/Committee, please fill out an application at the City Clerk's office or call 439-4205 for more information. Volunteers are always needed and appreciated.

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Pupfish Volunteers Needed



Calling all Baseball Fans!

The City of Alamogordo, in conjunction with the White Sands Pupfish Professional Baseball Team, is looking for volunteers to help at this season's home games (Griggs Park, 3000 N. Florida Ave). Volunteers will receive a FREE Pupfish Staff shirt. For a full schedule of games, visit the Pupfish website at <http://whitesandspupfish.com>.

If you are interested in volunteering for our hometown professional baseball team, please contact our Special Events Manager at 439-4353.

Fourth Fridays

Fourth Fridays are back and we have a great line-up for the summer. Admission is FREE! All events take place at Alameda Park Zoo, located at 1321 N. White Sands Blvd., and the gate opens at 5:30 p.m.

JULY 22ND from 6:00—10:00 p.m., Gasoline Alley will perform on the main stage, with the movie "Night at the Museum 2: Battle of the Smithsonian" starting at sundown.

AUGUST 26TH from 6:00—10:00 p.m., we will welcome Claxton Rocks to the stage and "Kung Fu Panda 3" will be the featured movie.

Join us for food, family entertainment & fun! Alcohol service will be provided to those 21 and up with proper ID.

MainStreet Alamogordo



The purpose of Alamogordo MainStreet is to increase economic development, create a greater sense of community and improve the quality of life for Alamogordo's citizens, through the revitalization and preservation of our historic commercial district. Evidence of new contributors to that revitalization was realized in the past month with the purchase of two buildings on 800 New York Avenue by Homestead Quilting and Mia's Collectibles.

Fundraising is the life-blood of any non-profit charitable organization. Alamogordo MainStreet completed a month-long fundraising project, raising \$9,330.00, which includes a \$3,000.00 match from the New Mexico Resiliency Alliance. Special thanks to Matt Grinberg, whose personal investment in making Alamogordo great again, allowed MainStreet to meet its fundraising goal. Bronze level corporate sponsors for MainStreet Alamogordo are Gerald Champion Hospital, Alamogordo McDonalds Restaurants and Marquardt Eye Associates. Anyone wishing to contribute to Alamogordo MainStreet can go to alamogordomainstreet.com and invest any amount through the PayPal button.

As Alamogordo MainStreet meets critical mass, an executive director is needed to coordinate activities and campaigns. The executive director search committee is currently interviewing an outstanding pool of candidates for the position.

Anyone interested in volunteering with the MainStreet Alamogordo organization can contact drterrymarquardt@gmail.com.

Business Licenses

Increased economic development is a goal we all share and the City would like to recognize new businesses in Alamogordo. The following businesses were issued a license in May.

- Alamogordo Prompt Care (Medical Services) (575) 644-0523
- Classy Cats Thrift Store 2 (Thrift Shop) (575) 937-5346
- CMOys Creations (Jewelry Sales/Services) (423) 619-4102
- Darlene Holland Terry, LCSW (Counseling) (575) 415-7636
- DG 3 Construction LLC (Residential Remodeling) (575) 049-5576
- Eagle Roofing (Contractor—Roofer) (505) 331-8418
- Empower (Health Instructor) (575) 495-8499
- Extreme Moving Services (Moving Service) (505) 491-9069
- Fempire LLC (Reiki/Numerology) (575) 491-6657
- From Us to You Freight Service (Small Business Package Delivery) (915) 731-2312
- G and A Enterprises (Mobile Home Service) (575) 430-7176
- J&J Frontier Communications (Cable Installation) (575) 921-7319
- JT Lawn Care (Landscaping/Lawn Care) (575) 446-2987
- Michaels Lawn Care (Landscaping/Lawn Care) (575) 491-0047
- New Peak Systems LLC (Computer Hardware /Software Install) (888) 998-2009
- R&R Lawn Care & Home Maintenance (Landscaping/Lawn Care) (915) 861-1916
- Robb Enterprises Inc. (Roto-Rooter Plumbing) (575) 524-1911